

## "BIG BERTHAS" RESUME BOMBARDMENT OF PARIS

Three Killed, Fourteen Injured When Shell Bursts in Front of Tramway Station.

(International News Service.)  
Paris, May 28.—The bombardment of Paris by long-range German cannon was renewed today.

In Crowded Street.  
(Associated Press.)

Paris, May 28.—Three persons were killed and fourteen injured in the bombardment of Paris today by the German long-range gun. One shell burst in a crowded street in front of a tramway station. Three women were getting into a car. One was killed and the others injured. Several persons within the car, one a child, were injured.

### Boches Drop Bombs.

Paris, May 28.—German aviators attempted last night to raid Paris. They dropped bombs in the suburbs, but were prevented from flying over the city.

The announcement follows:

"Last night about ten enemy aircrafts which were flying toward Paris were reported by our lookout stations. An alarm was given at 10:32 p.m., and anti-aircraft batteries threw up a curtain of fire.

"Several bombs were thrown on the more remote suburbs. No enemy machine flew over Paris. The 'all clear' signal was given at 11:45 p.m."

## SEVEN PERSONS KILLED DURING PANIC IN CHURCH

(International News Service.)  
Rome, May 28.—Seven persons were killed and 120 injured during a panic in the Church of the Trinity, near Subiaco, when an insane woman set up a cry of "Save yourselves!"  
The incident took place during the annual pilgrimage to the church. Subiaco is in central Italy, thirty-three miles northeast of Rome.

## This Memorial Day Finds American Graves Over There



Here beneath the folds of the flag he loved so well is all that remains of one of those who have gone over the top that we, who stay at home, may live in safety and honor.

This picture, taken in a graveyard in France, and sent to this newspaper by the United States committee on public information, shows you how they over there honor those brave sons of ours who have fallen. Beside the open grave stands the general and his staff, with heads bowed low for—"The muffled drum's sad roll has beat The soldier's last tattoo."

Such pictures might be made day

after day and often in a day over there, and as our boys go over in increasing throngs more and more of them will make the supreme sacrifice.

Not only do these American heroes give of their lives in actual combat with the Huns, but they are paying the death toll of war in all the ways soldiers die, victims of accidents and disease as well as of guns and gases. And some of those who have gone to training camps and board warships are paying the same high and glorious price. Thus far this toll of death has reached but into the thousands. The war—our share of the war—is still young. We must pay more and more

and more as we assume more and more of the war burdens rightly ours and which now are being carried by our allies, the British and the French. None of us this day know how many hundreds of thousands of our best and bravest—

"No more on life's parade shall meet."

But we do know that America will pay the full price for freedom, for all, forever, though that price be millions who must spend "for Fame's eternal camping ground their silent tents."

And now as we stand upon the threshold of another Memorial day, we of America who cannot go across pledge ourselves that never will we forget the debt we owe to those who go. In all the years that are to come, we and our children, and our children's children as long as they call themselves Americans, will hold dearest of all our memories this debt of gratitude. They are heroes than whom the world never produced greater. And so it is that as they are writing with their very lifeblood the newest, most wonderful and most important chapter of our nation's history they are giving a new and greater and world-wide significance to the day we set apart over half a century ago as a monument to our beloved and honored dead.

Those brave boys are making of Memorial day a day when all the peoples of the world who love liberty and justice will unite in honoring those—

"Who heard the thunder of the fray Break over the field beneath, Knew well the watchword of that day Was 'Victory or death.'"

This is no longer a Civil War Memorial day. It is no longer a day dedicated to the dead of the north only. For it now becomes a world war Memorial day, a day when north and south, east and west, as one, scatter the blossoms of love and honor upon the graves of those who have given all to make the world free. It is the day when Confederate veteran and northerner stand shoulder to shoulder gazing across the great ocean upon their sons fighting shoulder to shoulder against their country's foe. We must not forget that the first brave American boy who went over the top and died as he reached the German trenches was the son of a Confederate soldier. We must remember that a Lee and a Grant are now in khaki.

In time to come all the world now fighting for liberty and the freedom of nations and peoples may come to consecrate this day as one in which will be laid aside all other thoughts and prayers for this:

"Rest on, embalmed and sainted dead! Dear as the blood ye gave; No impious footstep here shall tread The heritage of your grave; Nor shall your story be forgot, While Fame her records keeps, Or honor points the hallowed spot Where Valor proudly sleeps."

## PICTURE IRELAND IN A REIGN OF TERROR

German Press So Seeks to Turn Public Mind From Delayed Offensive.

(By Cyril Brown, Staff Correspondent of the New York World.)  
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(Special Cable Dispatch.)

Amsterdam, May 27.—The dangerous tension of German public opinion increases. The best proof of it is that the German newspapers are eager to divert the public mind from internal affairs and the delayed offensive to the complications in Ireland and to so-called peace talk in England.

Every available scrap of news about Ireland is being featured in the German press under such headlines as "A Reign of Terror in Ireland" or "Lord French's Iron Fist." The newspapers are picturing Irish affairs in the light most favorable to Germans.

Their sophist reasoning is along two lines. One is that the trouble in Ireland is a civil war and is eager for a speedy conclusion of the war and hence amenable to a compromise peace. The other is that the Irish trouble may help bring about a reaction in America as well as in England and, at least, hamper America's active military participation on a large scale.

Dovetailing into this wild optimism about Ireland is the slender hope engendered by the reported recent frequency of the word "peace" in the mouths of English personages and in the English press.

The official Wolff news bureau and German correspondents in neutral countries have apparently overlooked none of this peace debate material which has engendered the delusion in the German mind that all England is not only yearning for peace, but is beginning to talk peace. The German press is much occupied with what the Germans call the "new English peace offensive," and while so cautious as the democratic Frankfurt Gazette warns against interpreting any peace talk as a sign of England's weakness, it nevertheless argues that intelligent Englishmen are beginning to see the folly of not having accepted Germany's invitation to a compromise peace conference long ago and that this view is widespread not only among the "liberals of Manchester," but extends even into the cabinet itself.

As the latest curiosity, inner political polemics have given birth to an article in the Deutsche Tages Zeitung headed "Shall the Hohenzollerns Rule in Prussia or the Huns of Lorraine (the Socialists) be the Question?" The author, Count Strachwitz-Bertelsdorf, a member of the centre party, says equal suffrage in Prussia would lead to the destruction of Prussia and the Hohenzollerns.

## SEVEN CANDIDATES ENTER TO SUCCEED LATE W. A. JONES

(Associated Press.)  
Newport News, Va., May 28.—The First Congressional district democratic convention meeting to select a successor for the unexpired term of the late United States Representative William A. Jones organized and appointed committees today and then adjourned pending committee reports this afternoon. Seven candidates have entered in the field and the vote was so split up that few attempt to forecast the result.

## SECOND RED CROSS DRIVE MAKES A GREAT RECORD

Eleventh-Hour Subscriptions Will Overtop a Total of \$144,000,000.

Washington, May 28.—With many eleventh-hour subscriptions yet to be tabulated, the great outpouring of American dollars to the second war fund of the Red Cross early today totaled \$144,000,000, an oversubscription of \$44,000,000, in the week's campaign which ended last midnight. Officials today hazarded predictions that the total might approximate the \$150,000,000 mark.

The oversubscription, much larger than that of the first \$100,000,000 fund last year, was taken as an answer to the resumption of the German offensive and as a nationwide condemnation of the bombing last week of Red Cross hospitals by German airmen, as well as an indication of the greater realization by Americans of the value of Red Cross work.

Tabulations early today showed that every division with the exception of the central had passed its quota and every state except Illinois had raised more than its allotment. The central division is within \$300,000 of its \$13,800,000 quota and it was thought final reports would show that it had raised its share. Greater New York went over its quota by more than \$6,000,000.

Nashville District.  
Nashville, May 28.—The Nashville district made a wonderful record on the second Red Cross drive, figures on which are available today. The quota of the district was \$150,000. The contributions went to \$273,970. Of this the city of Nashville gave \$195,148. The powder plant employees gave \$91,240.

At Mobile.  
Mobile, Ala., May 28.—Mobile's quota of the second Red Cross war fund drive was oversubscribed 140 per cent, with a total of \$120,000. Mobile was asked for \$50,000 and when the announcement was made at the final meeting of the executive committee, it was received with great enthusiasm. The jubilation was suspended while the workers indulged in silent prayer for Mobile's missing "ace," Lieut. Paul F. Baer, reported missing in France since the 22d.

In Mississippi.  
Laurel, Miss., May 28.—Jones county returns in the Red Cross subscriptions show a total of \$36,397, the entire quota asked for being only \$6,475.

## FLYING CADET CURRIE KILLED AT SAN ANTONIO

(Associated Press.)  
San Antonio, Tex., May 28.—Flying Cadet Paul M. Currie, of Minneapolis, was killed in a fall in an airplane last night near San Antonio. William A. Currie, of Minneapolis, is his father. Announcement of the accident was made today.

## AVIATOR WINNETT DIES OF INJURIES Private of the Royal Air Force Meets With Accident at Camp Borden, Ontario.

(Associated Press.)  
Camp Borden, Ont., May 28.—Wiltfred H. Winnett, a royal air force private, injured in an airplane accident here yesterday, died late last night at the camp hospital. His next of kin, Mrs. T. B. Winnett, resides at Los Angeles, Cal.

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